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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: R.W. Cline et al. Attorney Docket No.: XILL117728
Application No.: 09/905,642 Group Art Unit: 3739
Filed: July 13, 2001 Examiner: J.P. Leubecker
Title: COMPACT FLUORESCENCE ENDOSCOPY VIDEO SYSTEM (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
_____ 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	135	-	135	=	0	x	18	=	0
Independent Claims	7	-	7	=	0	x	86	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated July 17, 2003, set to expire on October 17, 2003, be extended by 2 months, to expire on December 17, 2003. The enclosed check includes the 2-month extension fee of \$420.00.

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C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 152578 in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the amendment claim fee and request for extension of time fee.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date: December 17, 2003 Pamela H. Tucker

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